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**MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD**

Morning Meeting of 1 March 1965

General Carter was in the Chair as Acting DCI.

There was a current intelligence briefing. Reference was made to a lead article in today's New York Times concerning US policies in Vietnam, and the monthly report on Soviet ICBM activity was tabled. Also tabled was a memo on the increasing number of ChiCom arms in the Viet Cong hands.

A/DDP noted that the South Vietnam Government had issued a statement opposing a negotiated settlement. [REDACTED]

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He noted a report from the Ambassador in Leopoldville citing evidence of the presence of Arab mercenaries with Congolese rebel forces. He noted that the nine Chinese Communist prisoners in Brazil are to be deported.

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✓ DDS&T reported that 1017 is okay with the first bucket scheduled for recovery tomorrow. Weather in China is bad. [REDACTED]

Bross reported that he would arrange with Vance's office today to get a copy of the DOD chart on [REDACTED]

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Chretien noted that there appears to be a Left Wing movement underway to associate CIA with the assassination of Malcolm X.

DDS reported that the CIA officer injured [REDACTED] is [REDACTED] very critically burned. Air Force support in the evacuation of him was commended, and General Carter asked that a letter for his signature be prepared and sent to Secretary Zuckert.

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Kent raised the problem of dissemination abroad of SNIE's in connection with COS, Saigon's complaint about DIA dissemination of a recent SNIE about which the COS was unwitting. General Carter directed that DDI look into the facts concerning the DIA dissemination and also look into procedures and develop a recommendation for further handling.

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✓ DDI reported on his successful briefings in [ ] where he discussed the origin and development of NVN intervention in South Vietnam. 25X1

General Carter inquired about the current status of [ ] DDS&T said that GMAIC has approved the recommendation as valid and a paper will be forthcoming. 25X1

General Carter said that Army Chief of Staff General Johnson will come to the Agency Thursday at 0930. General Carter wants an agenda with briefings and a visit to the paramilitary exhibit to be arranged for the entire morning. General Johnson will depart after lunch.

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